# Collecting your child from Nursery

You will be required to inform the office of a password for your child and the person(s) who will regularly collect your child from school at the end of the day. That person will be asked for the password if not familiar to the staff dismissing. If any other person will be collecting your child you must inform the office before the end of the Nursery session, that person will be required to show proof of identity and know the password. This is done to ensure the safety of all of our children.

# Change of Details

If you change your address, telephone number or any of the emergency contact numbers, it is important you let us know as soon as possible. It would be helpful if you do this via the school office.

#### Attendance

Regular school attendance is essential if children are to achieve their full potential. Good attendance in the early years supports early childhood development and early intervention. We believe that regular attendance enables children both to maximise the educational opportunities available to them and to become responsible, organised and motivated learners. We value all pupils and promote high attendance across our school.

#### Absences

It is vital that you notify the school by telephone in the first instance. If a message is not received, the absence is marked as unauthorised and a home visit may occur to check that your child is safe. We are also monitoring and acting upon persistent lateness. For absences over 3 days, evidence of medication could be requested.

#### Medication

If your child requires medication in school it must be sent in via the school office so that the appropriate forms can be completed. If your child has ANY special medical needs please see your class teacher to discuss them. Medication must be prescribed and in its original packaging.

We hope your child has an enjoyable experience this upcoming academic year at Perry Hall Primary School.



# Perry Hall Primary School 2022-2023 Transition to Nursery





Nursery Staff: Miss Scott, Miss Wild, Miss Istead Sports Coach: Mr Boneham

**Executive Head**: Miss Kohli

**Head of School**: Mrs Gibbins

**Assistant Head**: Mrs Dodd

Safequarding and Inclusion:

Mrs Heer

SENCO: Mrs Russell



# Nursery starting school arrangements



# Your child is in Group \_\_\_\_\_

AM Children	PM Children
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> September -	Thursday 8th September -
<b>Group 1</b> 9.00am - 10.00am	<b>Group 3</b> 12.30pm - 1.30pm
<b>Group 2</b> 10.30am - 11.30am	Group 4 2pm - 3pm
Friday 9th September -	Friday 9th September -
<b>Group 1</b> 9.00am - 10.00am	<b>Group 3</b> 12:30pm - 1:30pm
<b>Group 2</b> 10.30am - 11.30am	<b>Group 4</b> 2pm - 3pm
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> September - Two year children begin their full AM/PM sessions	
Tuesday 13th September	Tuesday 13th September
<b>Group 1</b> 9.00am - 10.00am	<b>Group 3</b> 12:30pm - 1:30pm
<b>Group 2</b> 10.30am - 11.30am	Group 4 2pm - 3pm
Wednesday 14th September	Wednesday 14th September
<b>Group 1</b> 9.00am - 10.00am	<b>Group 3</b> 12:30pm - 1:30pm
<b>Group 2</b> 10.30am - 11.30am	<b>Group 4</b> 2pm - 3pm
Thursday 15th September	Thursday 15th September
<b>Groups 1 and 2 -</b> 8:30/8:45 - 11:15/11:30	<b>Groups 3 and 4 -</b> 12:15/12:30 - 15:00/15:15
Friday 16th September	Friday 16th September
<b>Groups 1 and 2 -</b> 8:30/8:45 - 11:15/11:30	<b>Groups 3 and 4 -</b> 12:15/12:30 - 15:00/15:15

Monday 19th September
AM/PM/30 Hours Provision All children begin their full Nursery sessions

Uniform - items embroidered with the school logo on can purchased from



Showell Circus, WVIO 9BA

# Please ensure ALL dothing is clearly labelled.

Autumn/Winter: (October-April)

- Sweatshirt Dark green
- Shirt / Blouse White
- Jumper / Cardigan Dark green
- Trousers Grey
- Pinafore / Skirt Grey
- Socks white (girls), black / grey (boys)
- Shoes flat / low heeled, closed toed, black
- Small ear studs can be worn
- No make up, nail varnish or transferrable tattoos
- No unnatural, dyed hair colours

### Summer: (April-October) as above with the addition of:

- All pupils White polo shirts
- Summer dress Green/White checked
- Shorts Grey

## Learning and Exploring in the Outdoors

In Nursery we engage in outdoor learning everyday, whatever the weather.

Please send the following items into school everyday:

- •A coat for outdoors
- ullet Wellies
- •A change of clothing

#### PTA

The Parent Teacher Association provides social events for parents and children to raise funds to support the school's curriculum. We urge you to give them your support. If you are interested in joining the PTA, please let the office know.



#### Snacks

Children will be provided with a healthy snack and a carton of milk each day (Please make us aware of any known allergies).

Children are encouraged to bring a named bottle of water/flavoured water each day. We ask that this is not fizzy drinks or squash as we are a healthy school.

You may also wish to send your child into Nursery with their own healthy snack e.g. fruit, vegetables or other healthy alternatives.

#### Packed Lunch

If your child stays for our 30 hours provision your child should bring a packed lunch. Can you please ensure that the lunch box contains a healthy lunch which may include a sandwich or equivalent, drink (not fizzy) and items of your child's choice (not sweets). To support our school's eco-school award please consider the use of reusable containers for your child's food to reduce the amount of non-reusable plastics.



Please note - Perry Hall is a no nut school, please do not send in anything containing nuts.



# Nursery Times:

Please enter via the EYFS gate leading your child into the Early Years garden, across the path and into Nursery where a member of staff will be waiting.

Morning Nursery - Our Nursery doors are open between 8.30am and 8:45am. The register closes at 8:50am, therefore any child arriving after this time will receive a late mark. Circle time activities are in place from 8:45am, please ensure your child is in Nursery on time so that no learning time is lost. The Nursery doors will re-open at II:15am until II:30am for releasing.

**Afternoon Nursery** - Our Nursery doors are open between 12:15pm and 12:30pm. The register closes at 12:35pm, therefore any child arriving after this time will receive a late mark. Circle time activities are in place from 12.30pm, please ensure your child is in Nursery on time so that no learning time is lost. The Nursery doors will re-open at 3pm until 3:15pm for releasing.

#### Extended School Paid Provision

Breakfast club runs from 7.45am daily.

After school club runs from 3.15-5.55pm (a shorter session runs until 4.15pm).

If you are interested in using the provision, further details and prices can be gained from the office.

#### Term Dates

#### Autumn Term 2022

- Term Time: Wednesday 7 September 2022 to Friday 21 October 2022
- Half term: Monday 24 October 2022 to Friday 28 October 2022
- Term Time: Monday 31 October 2022 to Friday 16 December 2022

#### Spring Term 2023

- **Term Time**: Tuesday 3 January 2023 to Friday 17 February 2023
- Half term: Monday 20 February 2023 to Friday 24 February 2023
- Term Time: Monday 27 February 2023 to Friday 31 March 2023

#### Summer Term 2023

- Term Time: Monday 17 April 2023 to Friday 26 May 2023
- Half term: Monday 29 May 2023 to Friday 2 June 2023
- Term Time: Monday 5 June 2023 to Tuesday 25 July 2023

Please note that Monday 31st October, Monday 5th June and Monday 3rd July are INSET days.

# Getting Ready for Nursery...

There are lots of ways to help your child get ready for Nursery. Here are some key skills you can practice together at home...

Ask a grown-up to help you practice:

- Using the toilet,
- Washing and drying your hands,
- Putting on your coat and shoes,
- Zipping and fastening buttons,
- Talking about stories that you've read together; talking about the front cover and the pictures from the book, talking about the marks on the page, hearing and using new words,
- Asking simple questions and talking in sentences,
- Following simple instructions, such as collecting or putting away an object,
- · Saying number names in order to five,
- Talking about people who are special to you,
- · Talking about what you see in the world around you,
- · Playing make believe games by pretending,
- Creating sounds and singing songs and rhymes.



To support your child's learning at home a topic grid of activities which your child may wish to participate in will be distributed each term.



In Nursery the children will complete the following topics: through the year:

Autumn Term: Me, My Family, My World Spring Term: How does your Garden Grow? Summer Term: We're going on a Journey



During your child's time at School they will be offered the opportunity to attend a number of school trips.

Below are potential visits and costs for Nursery.

# Spring Term:

Exploring the local environment as we walk to the local shops

Approximate cost: £0

Summer Term:

Farm on Wheels (Visitors to Nursery)

Approximate cost: £5

Prices above are only approximate and may change.

The Educational Act 1988 makes it clear that parental contributions to the expenses of such ventures must be genuinely voluntary and that no child can be treated differently whether or not the parents have made a contribution.

Please note that in the event of insufficient contributions being received in advance, we may unfortunately have to take the decision to cancel the visitors/trip.